

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, the decision to access post-secondary education and training after high school graduation can play a vital role in the future success of our young people; and

WHEREAS, the Palmetto State produces tens of thousands of high school graduates with the opportunity to attend post-secondary institutions to earn academic degrees or professional or technical certificates or diplomas; and

WHEREAS, students who pursue post-secondary education and training can improve their earnings potential over their working careers; and

WHEREAS, the South Carolina Commission on Higher Education, multiple statewide partners, and high schools across our state are committed to celebrating our graduating high school seniors, who endured and conquered unprecedented challenges during their senior year, and their post-secondary education decisions with a Virtual Recognition event May 1 - 15, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Henry McMaster, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim May 2020 as

COLLEGE AND CAREER DECISION MONTH

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to learn more about the post-secondary programs and institutions available for our students and to recognize those graduating high school seniors who are making the decision to pursue a successful future through post-secondary education.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Henry McMaster".

HENRY McMASTER
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA